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DIARY NOTES

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1. Matt Baird telephoned me about an appointment which he understood had been made wherein a member of [REDACTED] Staff had been selected as the focal point within the Agency for dealing with the teaching of Communism in our high schools and universities. H

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Matt believes that this is a proper function for the Office of Training and that [REDACTED] of the School of International Communism is far better qualified than the individual he understands has been selected. I certainly agree with Matt's thinking on this and told him that I would take it up with the Director.

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2. [REDACTED] and I discussed the proposed intercommunications system in the new building with General Cabell. General Cabell personally would be just as happy if there were no intercom systems. If we are to have one he is perfectly happy to have the Bell Telephone system and would move toward the ten-line unit rather than the bigger model. While he also does not believe that it is necessary to have a duplicate system on each secretary's desk, especially since they will cost \$65 per month, it was agreed that we would demonstrate this equipment at an early Deputies' Meeting and try to reach some decision as to whether it would go into the new building. H

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3. I talked to General Cabell about the letter to [REDACTED] which Matt Baird proposed that the Director sign. General Cabell was very much opposed to permitting the Director to sign such a letter. I have so advised Shef Edwards, Matt and have destroyed the letter.

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